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Cattle 4,000		

Johnson Bros., the well known feeders and stockmen of Audrain county, this week. — Homes Hite is greatly Mo., topped the hog market in St. Louis Tuesday, having in a load of choice butcher averaging 200 pounds getting so she can do her own house at \$9.60 per cwt .- Live Stock Reporter.

Former High School Student Accepts Place In College

Selby Swift, well known in this city, wer fortunate in employing Miss Hathas accepted a place in the faculty of tie, as the children can stay home and La Grange College located at La get as good instruction. Be nice if Grange, Mo. He has been teaching other teachers would do the same for a number of years in Audrain thing, so our virls and boys could stay County schools since his graduation home and not have to go to town from the McMillan High School in school. - Miss Mary Hutchenson will

Mr. Swift was examined Sunday by mile west of Hatton. the Mt. Zion Baptist Church and ordained a Baptist minister. He is a young man of great earnestness and ability and of whom Audrain County should be proud. The pastor of the did the examining.

SON OF FORMER

RESIDENT DIES IN HAVRE, MONT.

Richard Morris, the filve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Morris, of Havre, Mont., died at the home of his parents at eight o'clock Saturday

The little fellow became sick Friday and an operation was deemed necessary as appendicitis was the cause. It was thought for a time that he would get well after the operation but

a turn for the worst was fatal. He was the youngest son of former Senator and Mrs. C. F. Morris who formerly resided in this city for a time. Their firends here will regret d. wlt Advertisement to hear of their great loss.

TO CONVENTION

The Mexico Elks Lodge is going to make an effort to secure the prize to d. be offered for the largest delegation in attendance at the Convention to be held in Moberly Sept. 6, 7, and 8. A Mexico group and this will assist by the local men.

vention are Joe C. Davis, C. C. Bled- of nuts. The prairie dogs, a full month soe, M. T. Vandegrift, Earl Brown, shead of time, are carrying food into Duncan Majors. Besides these there their diggings, and plenty of it. will be a large number of other Elks Robins and blackbirds are flocking who expect to motor to Moberly.

MEXICO WILL PLAY COLUMBIA BALL TEAM SUN.

Columbia next Sunday for a return Creigh. - Little Frances Anderson evenly matched and Columbia fans ground for his sons pony this wintion that the Athletics. Mexico's were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. next Sunday and a good game went to schol with the Paige children. is expected.

That \$10.00 Blanket Again. of three weeks ago quotes the sale to Earl P. Paige and daughter and little farmers of the Wyoming Blanket at sons, Lois and Earl, Jr., were the \$10.00, 400 pairs. We have the blanket guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Paige in stock and will give a better pair Saturday and Sunday night. - Mr. for \$9.50. Give us your order. RICKETTS AND EMMONS.

Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oaks, of Asption, Illinois ,spent last Friday They were on their way home from a pendence, Kansas.

The price on Blankets may be higher. See our special low price and

RICKETTS AND EMMONS. Advertisement

J. W. McKinney, of Gilliam, was in

LADY STRUCK BY WABASH TRAIN DIES

BUTLER, Mo., Sept. 7 .- Mrs. A. V. Adams, wife of Major Adams of the adjutant-general's office, died here te M nday night of injuries sustained a week ago when her automolile was struck by a Wabash passenger tra'n three miles east of Jonesburg, a week ago. Two women a mother and her daughter, who were with her in the car were killed instantly and badly burned when the car caught fire after b. n. struck by the train.

FROM INJURIES

HATTON_CONCORD

Misses Edith Satterfield and Mary Novey have rented light house keepng rooms in Auxvasse and will attend High School again this term .-Miss Frances Cottrill left Monday for Fulton to enter High School. - Hord and Henry Houchins of Boydsville are visiting their sister, Mrs. Homer Houf this week. - The folks from the Goose Hill neighborhood were very much disappointed Saturday on account of the rain as they had planned a big fishing trip near Molino for the day. - John Hutchenson of Oklahoma is visiting his sister Miss Mary improved since taking adjustments with Dr. McFarland of Mexico and is work some. She had been confined to her bed before going to Dr. McFarland. - Mrs. Frank Boyd is better at this writing. - Miss Ella Boyd remains about the same. - Jack Kennon is no better. - The pie supper at the Atkinson school was postponed on acount of bad weather, Friday night. - This is the second week of Miss Hattie Bailey's school, she is teaching

New Registrar at University.

first year of High School work. They

COLUMBIA, Mo., eSptember 7 .-Claud F. Clayton, registrar of the University of Missouri, has resigned, Mt. Zion church, Rev. I. W. Davis, the risignation to take effect October 1. He will go to the University of Minnesota as instructor in agricultural economics. Mr. Clayton received an A. B. degree from the University BUSY FOR THE LEGION CAUSE of Missouri in 1915, and an A. M. in 1916. Frank Chambers, who was University registrar from 1912 to 1918, will take the position again. Mr. Chambers has been in the Harvard Law School the last three years. He received the degree of A. B. in 1910 from the University of Mo. Mr. Clay ton was formerly connected with the Missouri Military Academy and married Miss La Reine Warden, of Mex-

CHILDREN'S HOSE.

JOHNSON'S VARIETY STORE.

Mrs. G. M. Laird, of Vandalia, is president of the the guest of Judge and Mrs. W. W.

FRESH CANDIES

JOHNSON'S VARIETY STORE. Advertisement

Get Out Your Red Flannels. NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- Various band has been secured to lead the weather experts have been predicting an early and unusually severe winter, greatly in the showing to be made and their opinions are backed up by he animals in the park. Squirrels are The official delegates to the con-storing up unusually large quantities together, presumably preparing for

migration a month earlier than usual. McCLINTIC ITEMS.

Written by A and B Classes The McClintic school opened Wed

The Mexico Athletics will go to nesday. The teacher is Miss Virginia game with the Columbia base ball was operated on Friday for her tonnine. Last Sunday the locals ran sils and adenoids. She is getting away in the first inning and won the along nicely. - John Mollet is buildgame 8 to 7. The teams are very ing a barn on the McClintic school believe they have a better aggrega- ter. - Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hagen strongest line-up will be on the field O. Paige Friday. - Elizabeth Heagen

- Mr. and Mrs. Homer Anderson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hale and daughter went to Jefferson City The National Live Stock Reporter Tuesday for a pleasant trip. - Mrs. and Mrs. Patrick Flynn and son, William, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brice Flynn Sunday. - Mr. and Mrs. Brice Flynn Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Welmer Anderson and son, McCall, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Brice Flynn Sunday night. — Roy E. Fox from Texas is visiting C. T. Gibbs this week. From there he is going to the served in the medical corps during nigth in the home of Mrs. E. E. Pierce. from Texas is visiting C. T. Gibbs this th's visit with relatives in Inde- Kansas City. — Otto Sonwalt, Miss Elsie Sonwalt, Edna May Sonwalt and Rosevelt Mayes were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Osie Dubray Sunday. -Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gibbs and family

> Mollet Sunday. Miss Byrd Crum has returned from him up and started toward the inn. Unfortunately one of the girls inadvent D. Gardner and family at the vertently tickled him and he inughed. Frank D. Gardner and family at the State College, Pennsylvania. On her way home she visited in Illinois a few

were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John



IS LEGION LEADER IN PARIS

Famous New Orleans Ace Heads American Volunteers of French

Foreign Organization. Edgar John Bouligny of New

Orleans, famous Ace of the Lafayette Esquadrille scion of an old ation of veterans organized at Paris and called "American Volunteers of the French Legion." Germany announced Its Inten-

tion of meeting "all comers," Bouligny was one of the hrst Americans to volunteer his four times for bravery with the esqua-

lender post, American Legion, Bouligny first served with the Second regiment of the French Foreign Legion. When transferred to the Lafavette fivers, his intrepid maneuvering over the enmy lines, eagerness to engage any plane bearing the maltese cross, contributed many of the thrilling chapters which comprise the history of that heroic group. He was transferred to the American air forces when this country entered the fight and became an ace. He also secured numerous remarkable photographs, among them being one of enemy shells bursting over the Rheims cathedral during the first bombardment of this historic structure.

The organization of which Bouligny have a public sale Wednesday half of is president, includes American volun teers who enlisted in the early days of the war, while their country was "the bonafide American citizens who Legion, for the purpose of keeping fresh the memory of fallen comrades and furthering friendship among those

Head of Washington Woman's Aux-Iliary Says Workers Will Not Be Found Wanting.

Mrs. John R. Neely has been chosen head of the Washington State Women's Auxiliary of the

American Legion Born in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Neely later moved to the state of Washington where active in club work of Spokane and the entire state. She is, in addition to being

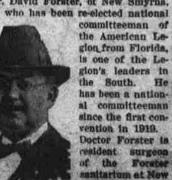
state Legion aux-Illary, head of the strong National Guard auxiliary, the mother organization and president of St. John's guild, She is the mother of five children, four sons and a daughter. One son fought with the Ninety-first division, A. E. F. Another was with the Twentythird engineers, A. E. F. A third was of colors approved by the committee an aviation instructor at Kelly Field. Texas, and Issodun, France. The youngest fought with the embattled

Second division A. E. F. "My work in the auxiliary will be legacy from our beloved sons, who, sleeping in the sacred soil of France, have passed it on to the women of the American Legion," said Mrs. Neely. "It belongs to us by tles of blood. neans a pledge of service to the service men in the name of those they left behind. In the holding of that tegacy. God helping, we will not be found wanting."

IS LEGION LEADER IN SOUTH

Florida National Committeeman One of the Most Active Workers in the State.

Dr. David Forster, of New Smyrna. Fla., who has been re-elected national



since the first convention in 1919. Octor Forster is

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He Had to Laugh A private with the A. E. P. felt chiraty, and not having a frame in his pocket decided the only way he could get some wine was to faint. So he precented to faint in front of the first Two French girls ran out, picked

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QUESTION OF TREE PLANTING

Problem Is Worthy of Very Much More Consideration Than Is Us-ually Given it.

What kind of tree should one plant eside one's home? asks Good House keeping. Obviously it should be a fast Preferably it should give a shade that is lefty and not too dense. A productive tree will answer as well as one French family that is merely ornamental. If a grafted has been chosen tree is planted rather than a seedling to head an associ-

Nut trees are both ornamental and productive. The black walnut and the pecan seem to be well suited to this sort of planting. Why not try one or the other, or possibly both, one each side of the house? Foreign

The black walnut is a rapid grower reaches large size, and has foliage of great beauty. A mature tree will produce a great quantity of nuts. The pecan is also large and beautiful, as well as long-lived. Among the most services for France and was decorated beautiful and stately of the trees at Mount Vernon are pecan trees planted drille. He is a member of Alvin Cal- by George Washington and still in excellent condition. Commonly one thinks of the pecan as a tree for warm latitudes only. . Both it and the Eng lish walnut will thrive much farther north than is commonly supposed. For planting near the house, then, the black walnut, the pecan or a good shagbark tree would be an excellent choice. The foliage of the walnut is always beautiful and in the fall the leaves of both the hickory and the pecan are symphonies in brown.

ECONOMIC VALUE OF PAINT

Great Mistake to Imagine That the Only Use of the Brush is for Ornamentation.

Observation in most localities leaves the impression that too many buildings suffer from lack of painting still neutral, and is intended to include A great many property owners seem to assume that the use of the paint served honorably at the front with the brush is the special prerogative of the rich, that it holds no advantage for the average man, if he can forego the pleasure of having ornamentation about. But paluting is not chiefly valnable for ornamentation. It is chiefly valuable for sanitation, greater life better service.

While paint does, of course, serve to improve the appearance of property, it is far more useful for protection than for ornament. A small amount of money and work expended in keeping a valuable piece of machinery painted will greatly add to its length of life. The same may be

sald of buildings. Another useful object which is ac compilshed by painting is the improved sanitary condition of buildings and outhouses: The cost of such work (painting) is Pamall, the necessary equipment is not expensive, and with proper care this will last a lifetime.

Beacons for Motorists. The flashing beacon used on the high seas by the leading nations of way guide for motorists.

Like the beacon at sea, the city traffie is an unwatched light, automatic in operation for months at a time. Fuel is supplied by an acetylene gas accumulator in the base.

To these beacons and highway lightouses is applied the national system clation of State Highway Officials, and by other untional organizations and many cities in the United States. Red is used for first degree danger, yellow for second degree, and green for traffic danger only.

Two hundred cities are reported to have standardized on this national color signaling, which is that of the railroad systems, and almost as many have made installation of the flashing light traffic beacon as an effective warning for drivers who are partially, or wholly, color blind, and those who find it hard to distinguish the ordinary signal from other city lights.

The flashing beacon is the invention of Dr. Gustav Dalen, winner of the Nobel prize in physics in 1912.—From The Motor.

Advantages of City Planning. "City planning is merely a comm ense set of rules and regulations for the city's growth," declares Charles A. Favrot, an ardent advocate of the "City Planning Commi

"A city plan shows where homes should be built, where industries should be located, and how traffic be located, and how traffic be regulated so as to carry eople from one part of the city to another with the minimum delay, while at the same time protecting the ity's paying and the lives of its chil-

Perrots in the wild state five on seed and fruit and should, while in captivity, be fed as nearly as possible same kind of food. They should be fed sunflower seed, hemp seed in water, an occasional piece of ap-ple of bahana, roasted peanuts and dry crackers. Planty of water and grave should be kept to the cage. The par-rot's cage should be cleaned every day

SUBSCRIPE FOR THE LEDGER

Toesday. The meeting was well at-

tended by the teachers of the county as well as by a few school board members. There was much of interst and profit for all. - Miss Emma Sutton egan a nine months term of school at Prarie Hill last Monday with seventeen enrolled. — Michigan begins Monday, Sept. 5. The house has been plastered, painted, cleaned, has a new floor freshly oiled and the outbuildings also painted. It looks brand new. - Mrs. J. E. Northcutt and daughter, Norma Lee, returned Tuesday from a week's visit in Henry county with her mother and other relatives. — Mrs. E. R. Green had a sale Tuesday preparatory to leaving the farm. -A number of little girls among them on a plan he proposes for keeping on a plan he proposes for keeping man, spent the day Wednesday with Will Nation and family. — Wednesday of American citizenship. day evening W. C. Johnson and fam- of American citizenship. ily ate supper with his father, W. P. with an old time friend, Jesse Lang- only of accredited representatives of day, Sept. 1st they witnessed the Johnson and enjoyed a short visit ford of Nickerson, Kansas. Jesse foreign governments, their suites, drove through with his wife and son families, or guests, be compelled to in a fine new cat. He is doing quite register within thirty days of their needs no introduction to the people well. - Mrs. Price visited her son, arrival in this country and annually Ogle Heim, Wednesday. - W. P. Johnson visited in this neighborhood tration fee of \$2, the fees to be exlast week and took some honey out of his farm. It was good, too, as Paul pended mainly on the education of couple will come to Audrain County Evans and Clyde Johnson can vouch for. — Ira Pease has returned from the hospital at Mexico. All are glad to now he is dollar so well. — Fay Utterback harvested his cow peas last week. He was very much pleased with twice the yield he expected. -The delegates, Mrs. A. L. Motley, Miss Gertrude Schroeder, O. M. Montague and George Andrews have returned from the big meeting at Springfield. There were more than the same group, sleep together, and 5000 in the parads. Come to the generally be isolated from other peo-Prairie Hill School House Friday ple who might be interested in the night, Sept. 9, and hear a full report. All delegates are especially invited, any of the jujrymen about the case We enjoyed a splendid rain Friday can be reported to Judge Gantt and night although it interferred with the fined.

fish fry Saturday. The speakers did not arrive, but 1200 pounds of fish and a crowd of more than 800 did. About four o'clock the fish were served, being cooked just right and were here Friday night, then another rain thoroughly enjoyed by all. — J. T. came Sunday night, — Still warm Walker is having dental work done in and the flies nearly drive the stock Walker is having dental work done in and the mes nearly drive the stock Wellsville. — Sunday visitors: J. E. mad. — R. S. Woodson sold a mule LET US LIGHTEN Trower and family spent the day at to W. D. Mason Monday. - Miss Ogle Heim's. — A number from this Ruth Cook begun her school at Car- YOUR FALL SEWING mmunity attended the funeral of ter Monday. - A few from here at-M: s. Clay Jewel. - Mrs. Mary Sank- tended the Sunday School Convention rill visited her sister, Mrs. Cecil at Littleby Church Friday and enjoy-Pease. - W. C. Johnson and family ed the program and the hospitality visited at D. E. Motley's. - D. E. and of the people of Littleby very much A. L. Motley, J. E. Trower and W. C. Was sorry the big rain Friday night Johnson and families enjoyed a pleas- kept us away Saturday. — Miss ant evening and some delicious cream Myrtle Meer of eBnton City is visitat Ogle Heim's,

Cause of Earth's Fragrance. The real cause of the peculiar fraable especially in the spring and after cains, has been found by recent experimenters. It was formerly exthe bacteria isolated from the soll have the earth fragrance, but they retain it when cultivated on very varied substances, even on such inorganic materials as pes soup, milk, glycerine

W. C. Johnson attended the teachers meeting at Mexico Monday and ALIENS YEARLY. PLAN OF DAVIS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 7 .-Americanization of the alien population of the United States is to be brought to the fore by the administration as soon as congress reassem-

Secretary of Labor Davis, who is deeply interested in a solution of this

The bill provides that all aliens in the United States, with the exception thereafter, paying each time a regis-

JURY TO BE KEPT TOGETHER DURING TRIAL

The jury in the trial of the State of Missouri versus C. T. Guy now before the Circuit Court of Audrain County was taken to the hotel Tuesday night was divided into eight reals. It was and registered together. Till their a silver coin worth \$1 in the United verdict is rendered they will eat in States verdict. Anyone who tries to talk to

POWELL'S FORD. We are having plenty of rain. We think as much as a 3% inch rain fell ing R. G. Woodson and family. -Miss Eleanor Mason will enter Mexico High School this year. - M. N. Powell covered one of his hen houses Tuesday.

SOMEONE has said that doctors bury their mistakes, business men dained as a result of certain chem- kept their blunders to themselves and cal decompositions, but has now been lawyers left theirs in jail while the discovered to be the emanation of newspaperman made his howlers in thread bacteria, of which two species are particularly olderous. Not only do fenseless before the merriment of the

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Street and Das Gelvin and daughter, Mrs. Ritchie, of marillo, Texas, motored to Jefferson City last Thursday, and were the SUBSCRIBE FOR THE LEIGER guests of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Gel-

which it was necessary to remove. He is now improving. - Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hildebrand and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Waddington are enjoying and auto trip to Ottawa, Illinois, where they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Garver. — The Benton City school started Monday with Mrs. E. C. Neiman as principal and Mrs. Wm. Coil in charge of the primary room. The first day was devoted to classification and enrollment with a getto-gether meeting by the patrons. At noon a basket dinner was served followed by a short program. - Rev. Franc Mitchell was able to fill his regular appointment Sept. 4th. - The Ladies Aid Society will hold a special meeting Thursday evening, September 8th. - Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Stratton and Winifred returned from an auto trip into Iowa and Illinois. On Thurs-Ruth Kimball of Miles, Iowa. Walter ton is a graduate of Wheaton College, Ill., a very fine musician and an ex-

NORTHEAST BENTON.

ger Tuesday, August 30th, a fine baby boy. - Fred Procht has been badly

afflicted of late by an infected eye,

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Win-

"Pieces of Eignt."

father's farm near the Eureka school

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